

The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D.C. 20505

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The Honorable William P. Clark  
Assistant to the President for  
National Security Affairs  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Bill:

These will give you the state of play on the Syrian issue.

The papers marked "A" indicate State's view of an appropriate response.

The paper marked "B" summarizes the options to be studied.

The papers marked "C" are the papers prepared in response to the request from the Secretary of State

I don't think the final assessment will differ significantly from the preliminary one.

Sincerely,



William J. Casey

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